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ALBERTA WRESTLING CHAMPIONSHIPS FOR RAYMOND

Contests In Seven Classes

The privilege of holding the Alberta Provincial Wrestling Championships in Raymond has been awarded to the local A. A. A. This is the first time Raymond has ever had the privilege of holding the Alberta Championships.

This line of endeavor together with boxing is comparatively new here. But it is felt that a great stride forward have been made this winter and much promising local material uncovered which will be heard from in the future. This big event will be held Thursday evening March 28 at 8 o'clock in the Opera House. Contestants are expected from all parts of the province. A local committee composed of the following men will be in charge of the bouts: Ken Allred, chairman, S. E. Low, Chas. Laferty, Dr. G. W. Leech, Rayo Woolf, P. W. Cope, A. W. Kirkham, Wm. Stone, and W. Palmer.

The following events will be contested: Bantam weight, 123 lbs. and under, Feather weight, 134 lbs. and under, Light weight, 145 lbs. and under, Welter weight, 158 lbs. and under, Middle weight, 174 lbs. and under, Light-heavy weight, 191 lbs. and under, Heavy weight, over 191 lbs.

These contests are held under the rules of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada.

Messrs. Kenneth Allred and Solon Low have been principally responsible for obtaining these bouts, and they have devoted considerable time to the training of young men in boxing and wrestling this winter.

Here and There

257 To meet increased trade and passenger traffic on the waters of the Pacific coast, two new vessels of the "Princess" type for night service between Vancouver and Victoria have been ordered by the Canadian Pacific Railway, it has been announced by Captain C. D. Norcross, manager of the British Columbia Coast Steamship Services.

A new carrier and telephone system for Canadian Pacific purposes will shortly be in operation across Canada, it was stated recently in Winnipeg by Mr. John McMillan, general manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway Telegraphs, who was on a tour of the west. This greatly supplements the facilities already used.

Since the world war the Canadian Pacific has constructed 1,186 miles of new railway track, most of which opened up new territories and developed new areas of country for settlement and industrial activity.

An average of twenty-seven pounds of butter is consumed each year by every man, woman, and child in Canada, it has been discovered by federal statisticians, making the Dominion the largest consumer of butter in the world. The per capita consumption is ten pounds greater than that of the United States. No light is thrown upon the number of slices of bread buttered by hungry Canadians.

The sweetest news received in Canada for some time was the report from the British Industries Fair in London that twenty minutes after its opening an order had been placed for \$50,000 worth of honey.

Santa Claus must be establishing a stable somewhere in this country as it is reported that a consignment of 300 live Swedish Reindeer was recently shipped to Canada. It was the largest shipment of these animals ever to be made.

Infestation. All vegetables must be grown quickly if they are to be crisp when brought in to the table. A check in growth makes them tough. To overcome this a good fertilizer such as nitrate of soda should be used.

Ben Calf Robe Gets 18 Months

SENTENCED TO LETHBRIDGE JAIL BY CHIEF JUSTICE SUMMERS ON RAPE CHARGE

Ben Calf Robe was on Wednesday morning sentenced to 18 months in the Lethbridge jail by Chief Justice Simmons on being convicted of attempted rape of Miss Mary Glenn. His lordship said he was satisfied that accused would have continued and succeeded in his purpose had Mr. Shaw not arrived on the scene. Mr. Moscovitch for the accused made a plea for leniency on the ground that the man who supplied the Indian with liquor was culpable, that he had a wife and three children and had been in jail since December 8.

KEY TO LONG LIFE?

Dr. F. G. Banting, Canadian discoverer of insulin, used in the treatment of diabetes, is going to investigate the life prolonging possibilities of "royal jelly," the food provided for the queens by the worker bees. This substance prolongs the life of the bee for several years, and Dr. Banting hopes to discover something that can be used similarly for human beings.

Such medical research is important because more and more people are continuing their activities through advancing years, and eminent physiologists recently have declared that the brain does not grow old but continues to function with increasing power to the end of life.

Old age is a matter of a condition of the body tissues rather than of years, and its onset varies with individuals, according to Dr. Alexis Carrel, of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, who in his remarkable experiments, has kept muscles of a chicken's heart alive for nearly twenty years. He told the New York Academy of Medicine recently that the physiological age of any person can readily be determined by examining certain cells from the blood. Tests of this sort may yet be adopted by insurance companies, employers of labor, and others to determine whether a man is actually younger or older than the color of his hair and the date on his birth certificate.

From the looks of the Mexican situation, some one is going to run out of Mexicans. What Mexico needs is some nation to spank them, and send them all to school.

RADIO MAY AID MAN IN STUDY OF WILD LIFE



Harry Allen

Do animals converse? Harry Allen, famous New Brunswick guide says they do, and he speaks from the experience of a lifetime spent in the woods which flank his seventy-eight mile lease of the Cains River. Within certain narrow limits, he insists, the language of the wild can be counterfeited by man with such skill that it deceives the animals themselves. Thus, the call of the cow moose in the mating season is more often than not a successful lure in bringing the bull to the hunter. The cry of the hunting wolf and the howl of the migrating goose are easily imitated by the initiate and are easy of interpretation. There is, however, nothing particularly new in this. What is new, is Mr. Allen's claim that animals communicate with one another by sounds inaudible to the human ear. That they do converse and communicate one with the other is demonstrated in a thousand ways each day. What our well-known guide suggests is that radio will eventually solve the question and be the means of interpretation of the animal communication.

That the human ear is sensitive to but a very narrow and limited range of vibrations is in fact certain. What Mr. Allen hopes to prove shortly is that all animals are sensitive to, and make use of,

"wave lengths" outside the range of mankind. "It is a common occurrence in the woods to see a cow moose leave her calf, or a deer her fawn," says Mr. Allen by way of example. "I have seen it hundreds of times. Every time the mother animal has instructed her young, in a language inaudible to human ears, not to stray. That language was quite intelligible to the young, but although I have sometimes been within touching distance, I have never heard the faintest sound, beyond at most, the blowing out of air from the nostrils which had no apparent significance. The young of the moose or deer will remain exactly as its mother left it, even though she be gone for half an hour at a stretch. More than that—in case of extreme need it will 'radio' its mother without apparent sound."

"I have experimented on the problem many times. In each case it has been the same. I have waited until the mother has gone some distance; then have approached and stroked the young animal. Beyond a slight twitching of the skin, it has not moved, but it must have sent out a call, for almost immediately I would hear the crashing return of the mother through the undergrowth. At such moments I would not pursue my investigations further."

Mr. Allen has cited many other "demonstrations" to members of the Tourist Department of the Canadian Pacific Railway who are encouraging him to develop his theory still further as he engages in the role of guide, philosopher and friend to the fisherman and the hunter.

Japanese "Old Timer" Banquet

Last Wednesday the Japanese people of Raymond held a celebration of "Old timers," all the Japanese that have been in the district for 20 years were invited. Mayor P. W. Cope, J. W. Evans, T. J. O'Brien, Ray Knight, and T. O. King were special invited guests. The party was served with a sumptuous banquet followed by a number of speeches.

Of the original 80 Japanese brought in here as beet workers some twenty died. The approximate Japanese population of Raymond district is now years ago, 60 are still residents of this about 90 adults and 54 children. Mr. Cope in an after dinner speech at the banquet stated that the Japanese citizens were very loyal to their adopted communities and that they were always ready to support any public movement.

Warden—"It is our custom to let a prisoner work at the same trade in here as he did outside. Now what is your trade—shoemaker, blacksmith or—"

Prisoner—"Please sir, I was a travelling salesman."

One day when Mr. Gladdis was golfing, he discovered an old lady calmly seated on the grass in the middle of the fairway. "Don't you know it is dangerous for you to sit there, 'Mam?" he reminded her. The old lady smilingly replied, "It's all right I'm sitting on a newspaper."

She—"Yes, he strongly disapproved of my frock."

He—"And what did you do?"

She—"Oh, I just laughed it off."

The chairman and committee of the winter users district located on the ditch running through Mr. Litchfield's Mr. Holts, Mr. Henninger and others users of this district announces a special meeting of the land owners and water users of this district to be held next Thursday evening March 21st, at the town hall. If you are on this ditch, be sure and be there as many very important questions are to be discussed.

A social shower was given at the home of Mrs. J. W. Evans in honor of Mrs. John Pickett (nee Melba West). Many beautiful gifts were received by the recent bride. A most dainty luncheon was served the guests.

"Y" Aces Win Two Games On Opera House Floor

6000 Acres Of Beet Signed For

Reports from the Sugar Factory officials show over 6,000 acres of sugar beets all signed up for the coming year and those that are carrying contracts are very optimistic over the way farmers are signing up.

From all indications this year will be a banner year for acreage and most naturally everyone is looking for another good harvest.

A Different Kind Of A Story

"Ten days to live." That was the verdict of the physician who attended Charles Francis Coe, author of "Me, Gangster," "The River Pirate" and other popular novels, when he collapsed on the golf links near his home in Brookline, Mass., a little more than three years ago. Coe thought that was very short notice, giving him hardly time to wind up his affairs as the president of the Coe Motor Co. Still he managed it and then found he was still alive. To pass the tedious of the days until such time as he was called before the final curtain, he thought he would write a short story. It was a very successful story indeed, and he sold it to a magazine. He was so thrilled by the event that he forgot all about his rendezvous with death and wrote another and then still another until he was a regular contributor to the Saturday Evening Post.

Then Fox bought his "River Pirate" and acquired his services during its production. The result was an unqualified success. You see, Coe asked that Victor McLaglen be cast in the title role and William K. Howard thought it was a good idea too. Then Nick Stewart was chosen to play the role of Sandy and Lois Moran that of his sweetheart.

Coe also helped in the actual making of the picture, with the result that for once the screen version of a novel meets with the approval of the original author.

Now Coe is under contract to write several originals for Fox and he is deeply grateful to the doctor who frightened him out of business into authorship. "The River Pirate" is coming to the Capitol Theater for two nights, to-night and Saturday.

THE WEED BILL IS A BIG ONE

This question of weeds and the damage caused by them is not a pleasant thing in the world to discuss. However, when faced with the facts that indicate a loss in one province alone approximating a million dollars in actual cash, the whole matter is seen in a different light.

According to figures compiled by the Manitoba Seed Improvement Association last year's wheat crop in that province carried a dockage of four per cent., based on an inspection of 1,300 cars loaded over platforms at different points. The Association mentioned assumes that the average wheat crop for Manitoba is about 42½ million bushels, of which 6 million bushels would be required for seed and feed, thus leaving 36 million bushels for market. Now 4 per cent. dockage amounts to 1,460,000 bushels that are harvested, threshed, hauled to elevator and shipped to the head of the lakes by the growers. It costs 10 cents a bushel to thresh it, 5 cents for elevator charges, and another 10 cents for freight; that is, from Manitoba points, but further west it would be more. In all, a total of 25 cents a bushel is paid to deliver this worthless stuff to the terminal elevator. If it was kept on the farm it would probably be worth 40 cents for 60 lbs.

What proved to be the best basketball card of the season was witnessed at the Opera House last Saturday night when the Lethbridge "Y" Aces met and trimmed the local Intermediate in a hard fought battle to the tune of 41-34.

The Aces were hard pushed all through the game by the local crew and came as near losing a decision as at any time this season. They now hold the district championship without losing a game and are favorites to win provincial honors.

The local boys put up the battle of their lives. In that second half they went on a shooting spree to tie the score, but unfortunately were obliged to call time out which broke their shooting streak. The score at half time was 26-19 for the Aces.

The first game between the Stirling Intermediates and the Raymond High was an easy win for the locals. This quintet of basketballers have shown championship calibre all though the season and have not lost a league game. They will enter the provincial play. Local fans feel confident that they will again win the cup.

Beaten in the last few minutes of play after putting up a desperate fight from whistle to whistle was the bad fortune of the Stirling Intermediate hoopers when they met the Lethbridge "Y" Aces at the local Opera House last Wednesday night in a "grudge battle." The "Y" quint demonstrated that they are still the superior team but by no great margin. The Aces are fast and clever, with much experience in handling the ball and in clever combination work. The three men playing the front end, Sinclair, in center, Young and Howard forward, are one of the fastest scoring lines ever seen here. Their snappy well timed combination work under the basket together with their accuracy in shooting were the features that won for them in Wednesday night's encounter.

But for grit and determination you must hand it to Stirling boys. They fought gamely from start to finish and their perseverance was almost rewarded when in the last few minutes of play they spurred, to drop the pigskin through the hoop four times in quick succession, to make their tally sheet to within 2 points of the Aces. An unfortunate foul by one of the Stirling team broke what might easily have proved a winning streak. The Aces scored on this and netted another field basket for a final count of 52-47 as the gong sounded.

Much praise is due Earl Zemp and Kenneth Stone for the effective manner in which they handled the game to the entire satisfaction of fans on both sides.

Next Wednesday night holds promise of another hectic basketball battle when the Local High team will engage the "Y" Aces at the Opera House.

as live stock feed.

Considering both the cost of marketing and the feeding value of the dockage or screenings if kept at home it is estimated that the total loss on 36½ million bushels of wheat is \$949,000.00 nearly one million dollars. It looks like to much money to throw away.

Let us bring it a little nearer home, that is, down to your own farm. Say for example, that you produce 5,000 bushels of wheat with a 4 per cent. dockage, which would give you 200 bushels of dockage. After the weeds etc. were once in the crop you would be bound to thresh them, so the thresh bill cannot be avoided. However by cleaning the grain after threshing and before hauling to the elevator you would save the elevator and freight charges on the 200 bushels, which would amount to \$30.00 and you would have 200 bushels of feed worth \$80.00 left at home. Could you clean 5000 bushels of wheat for \$110.00, or about 2 cents per bushel?

Graphic Story of Manner In Which Record Crop of 1928 Was Conveyed to Markets

Six tons of grain a second!

Canada's greatest grain crop was on its way to the four corners of the world. Motor trucks and especially constructed horse drawn wagons were rolling from the harvest fields to the country elevators along the lines of the Canadian Pacific Railway. And on September 21st, last, they delivered 6,010,547 bushels representing 131,216 tons or six tons every time a watch ticked. That was a record day in a record breaking shipping season. That was grain. That was also a glimpse, a cross section, of the manner in which the record crop of 1928 was handled from the fields to the elevators, and from the elevators to the markets. The crop of 1928 was the largest in the history of Canada and the Canadian Pacific Railway smashed every existing grain hauling record in getting it to market. The Company used more cars and more engines more times; loaded more grain; ran more trains; gave employment to more men than ever before in its history, and even managed during the crop moving period, from August 1st to December 14th, to move the largest and longest grain train of all time when one engine steamed into Arcola yards dragging 135 loaded cars behind it.

From August 1st to December 14, the farmers in the prairie provinces marketed 266,262,535 bushels of grain on Canadian Pacific lines, a gross of 62,249,375 bushels more than during any previous season. It came in by the millions of bushels a day, and it was up to the railway to keep it moving. The railway did by loading thousands of cars a day until on December 14, the total cars loaded reached the amazing number of 152,868, surpassing the totals of previous years by 32,975 cars. Railwaymen from the vice-president down to the junior apprentice in the shops knew that the average grain haul was being exceeded and they worked, reaching the peak of their labors during the nine days preceding October 31st, when 18,418 cars were loaded and moved away, an average of 2,046 a day; and the old records dropped one by one until at the close of navigation on the Great Lakes, eighty-five per cent. of the grain entrusted to the Company for transportation was loaded and rolling east to the Atlantic or west to the Pacific Coast. The cars loaded if placed end to end would have made one tremendous argosy of grain 1,160 miles long.

Preparation, organization of the best kind alone enabled the Canadian Pacific Railway to cope with the terrific rush of grain. This preparation commences weeks ahead of time with a close check up of equipment, and general tightening of the belts by those scheduled to do the job. The next step is found in the pre-season distribution of empty box cars from the Winnipeg terminals to the sidings alongside the country elevators. The empties and the exact number of empties do not arrive at the different sidings by accident. They are placed in keeping with estimates of the amount of grain which will be delivered. On August 1st, last year, approximately 41,000 box cars were on lines west of the Great Lakes, and all during the fall movement they were hauled down to the Head of the Lakes or to the Pacific Coast, loaded and back empty to the prairies. The return movement of empty grain cars constitutes one of the major problems of the rush period. On the average the Canadian Pacific, in addition to the exceptionally heavy loaded movement, hauled from 1,300 to 1,500 empties west out of Winnipeg daily. The peak of this empty movement serves to illustrate the magnitude of this phase alone. During the seven working days, October 15th-21st, twenty-two trains of empties each composed of seventy cars were rushed west daily in order to meet the marketing demands of the farmers. Canadian Pacific Railway grain cars are much travelled pieces of equipment. The distances in the west are great, and the cars are kept busy. When they weaken, Weston shops in Winnipeg, Ogden shops in Calgary, and the Vancouver shops repair them immediately and send them out to the road again. The traveliveness of a grain car is well illustrated by the following facts. A total of 45,950 cars were loaded in the province of Alberta. Of these, sixty-five per cent., or 30,054 moved east to the Head of the Lakes, with an average

road haul per car of 1,000 to approximately 1,200 miles. The balance 15,880 cars moved west to Vancouver, with an average haul per car of from 642 to 836 miles. The loadings in Saskatchewan up to December 14, totalled 76,408 cars and each car had an average haul of 818 miles, while the cars loaded in Manitoba had an average journey of 552 miles. When it is remembered that each car made several round trips a general appreciation of the total mileage will be gained.

The magnitude of the whole undertaking is indicated when it is understood that from August 1 to December 14, the Canadian Pacific delivered 168,017,597 bushels at the Head of the Lakes, and in addition delivered 16,070 cars containing 24,105,000 bushels at the Port of Vancouver, or a total of 132,881 cars, containing 193,122,598 bushels delivered to terminal elevators for storage.

Will Use Canadian Coal

Products Therefrom Will Dominate Future Markets Says Expert

Coal and the products therefrom will hold predominant position in the economic world within the decade and Canada with its predominance of one-tenth of the world's coal deposits is in a position to dominate the markets of the western hemisphere. Such is the opinion of Sir Arthur Buckham, head of the British mission to Australia, on Empire trade, who is travelling through Canada in a special car on the Canadian National Railways from Vancouver to Toronto.

Sir Arthur, who is an expert on the utilization of coal and its by-products, is emphatic that an era of manufacture, economic utilization of Canada's coal products will place her in a predominant position in the manufacturing world, during the coming decade. Empire production affecting Australia from where he has recently come, Canada, South Africa, India and other sections of the British Commonwealth is in the melting pot and solutions of the problems of the Empire trade are not only discernible but imminent.

Encourage Careful Driving

Suggested That Insurance Companies Allow Rebate Where No Claim Is Made At End Of Term

"Drive carefully and receive a bonus." This was the principle which was endorsed at the recent annual convention of the Saskatchewan Insurance Agents' Association. The convention dealt with the recent enormous increases in the rate for automobile insurance and went on record as favoring the Great Britain plan whereby the assured are allowed a bonus provided at the end of the term no claim for damages had been made. The Saskatchewan delegates felt that the adoption of this plan would encourage more careful driving and would also increase the popularity of automobile insurance.

A Doubtful Compliment

Mr. Hardfax—You seem to be growing prettier each day.
Miss Mudge—Thank you for the compliment. I'm glad you think so.
Mr. Hardfax—Yes, if you keep on this way you stand a chance of being a fairly good looking old woman if you live long enough.

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Mother: "Rupert, darling, when you divided those five sweeties with cousin Eleanor, did you give her three?"
Rupert: "No. I knew they wouldn't come out right, so I ate one, and then began to divide."

The Girl: "You don't know who I am, do you?"
The Child: "Yes, I do—you're the back part of my brothers' motor-bike."

A New Race Of Beef Animals

A Mixture Of Yak, Buffalo and Domestic Cattle

The yak, a native of the plateaus of Tibet, is being used by the experimental farms in a hybridizing experiment to mingle the blood of the buffalo and ordinary cattle. After many attempts to make direct crosses between cattle and the buffalo, failure was the result owing to reproduction difficulties. The yak has been introduced as an intermediary and hopes are entertained that a hardy, beef producing animal will be evolved for grazing in northern territory. The report of the Dominion Animal Husbandman for 1927, published by the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa, contained an account of the work so far accomplished. This breeding work is being carried on at Wainwright, Alberta. The Dominion Animal Husbandman states in his report that the experiment, in so far as it has gone, has been remarkably successful as shown through the numerous excellent individuals combining the blood of the yak and buffalo, the yak and domestic cattle, and their offspring now coming, combining the blood of buffalo, yak, and domestic cattle.

World's Biggest Banks

Out Of The Twelve Most Important Two Are Canadian

Which are the biggest banks in the world? Most people, we suppose, would be inclined to say that these would be found in the United States. But they would be wrong. Information on the subject has been obtained in France showing the relative position, according to deposit liabilities, of the largest banks of the British Empire and of the United States. The figures, which are compiled mainly from American sources, show that out of the 12 most important banks in the world eight are British (two Canadian), and out of the six great banks with more than £200,000,000 in deposits the first five are British, the sixth on the list being American.

Prefer Trial By Judge

Few Japanese Take Advantage Of New Jury System

The surprisingly few defendants who have taken occasion to ask for trial by jury and the fact that appeals from the jury verdicts have been based on the claim that the judge was prejudiced are two of the outstanding results of the five months' trial of the jury system in Japan.

Only 26 cases have gone to the jury since October 1, when trial by jury became effective in all parts of Japan. The defendant is not required by law to be tried by jury, but is given his option of this form or the older form of trial by judge.

Wanted Her Change

A woman travelling northward from Banbury pulled the communication cord when the train had left the station some distance. The train was stopped, and when the guard made inquiries the woman stated that she tendered a boy sixpence for an apple on Banbury station platform and wanted her change.

Indication Of Prosperity

The purchasing power of the people of Canada increased by \$500,000,000, during 1928, when the revenue from the productive industries reached the record total of \$6,840,278,995, an increase of about \$500,000,000 over 1927.

Health Is a National Asset, More Valuable Than Crops, And Must Be Conserved

Alteration In School Lands Sales Policy

Little Demand For Them At Present Says Minister Of Interior

A change in the policy of Hon. Charles Stewart, minister of the interior, in regard to the sale of school lands, has been announced. The statement issued by the department reads as follows:

"The Minister of the Interior has recently received representations from stock associations to the effect that the Saskatchewan ranchers should be allowed the same measure of consideration as the Alberta ranchers received in connection with school lands which form an integral part of their ranching operations.

"The minister says that from the results of the Alberta sales held last fall, it is quite apparent that there is very little demand for such lands at present at the minimum upset price, which is \$7 per acre, and under the circumstances it has been arranged with the provincial authorities that on the request of the holder, school lands will be withheld from the forthcoming spring sales where they abut on two or more sides the holdings of permittee of the school lands.

"Apparently some ranchers have been using school lands surrounded by their Dominion lands grazing leases, without taking out school lands grazing permits, and in order to qualify under the arrangements, they will have to pay the accrued back rental on these parcels; such arrangement will cause no hardship to the rancher and will add materially to the revenue of the school land endowment.

"These school lands will be offered for sale when there is a better demand, and when there is chance of obtaining better price."

Ship Eggs To South America

Sample Shipment From Vancouver Goes To Buenos Aires

In a belief that egg shippers in Canada, and more especially those along the Pacific coast, should secure a large share of the Argentine import trade, the Dominion Livestock Branch has just made a sample shipment of fresh extras and fresh firsts to the Canadian Trade Commissioner, at Buenos Aires, who will present samples to the importers in that city. The fact that all shipments are Government inspected is taken as an important factor in capturing a share of this trade.

Proved To Be Right

"Sandy Gordon was getting married, and as the wedding day drew near he began to find that it was costing him more than he bargained for, so he asked a crosby what the minister charged for officiating at due ye for that?" "Oh," he replied, "Weel, Sandy, after I got married I asked the minister, 'How much am I due ye for that?' 'Oh,' he replied, 'just what ye think she is worth,' so I handed him a shillin'. 'You're far too generous,' said he, and handed me back a saxeppence. An d'ye ken, Sandy, he was right!"

British M.P.'s were first paid a salary on April 1, 1911.

(By Dr. Gordon Bates, General Secretary, Canadian Social Hygiene Council)

Is the life of a farmer worth as much to Canada as the life of a stockbroker in a big city?

I think so.

Then why is that so much more money is spent on safeguarding the stockbroker's life and health than the farmer's?

Why is it that to keep the stockbroker healthy, the big city has an efficient medical health officer, working all day, every working day in the year, and an excellent health department, while the farmer has only an overworked, part-time county medical health officer to advise him about what to do in order to keep from getting sick?

Of course, it is an excellent thing that the city people should have their big health organization to protect them against typhoid, smallpox, diphtheria and all the other diseases that kill so many thousands of Canadians, every year, long before they have lived out their three-score-and-ten.

For it has been proven beyond a doubt that in Toronto, for just one instance, there would be 2,700 more deaths every year if it were not for the activities of the Toronto Medical Health Officer and his staff, in keeping sickness down and saving lives from disease.

But if that is the case, and it undoubtedly is, then why shouldn't people in the country, and in towns and villages share in all these life-saving advantages? Their lives are just as important to Canada as the lives of city dwellers. We are all Canadians. Yet, every year, in rural and semi-rural Canada, thousands of lives are lost that could have been saved, if these places had the same public health work done for them, that the cities have.

The answer is that public health work, though it saves lives, costs money. And the big cities have the money to spend while the rural counties have not.

But is that altogether fair? Already many prominent Canadians are beginning to decide that it is not. More and more, people are beginning to think that health is a national asset, more valuable than gold mines or railways, and as valuable as crops and rain, and that it must be conserved.

In Quebec, where people began to feel this way some time ago, they organized "County Health Units," small, full-time medical health departments. Since then, the counties protected by the County Health Units have had fewer deaths and fewer cases of sickness than ever before. Their health has improved amazingly. Hundreds of lives have been saved.

What has worked in Quebec will work equally well all over Canada. Some day every part of Canada will have County Health Units. Even now a plan is being worked out, and it is hoped that it will be adopted, whereby the Dominion and the provinces will combine to help the counties to pay full-time County Health Units.

Some such plan must inevitably be put into effect. Until it does, valuable lives are being lost each week in rural Canada, lives that the country can ill afford to lose. Lives that could be saved, if country people had the same chance that city people have.

Sweden Receives Radium

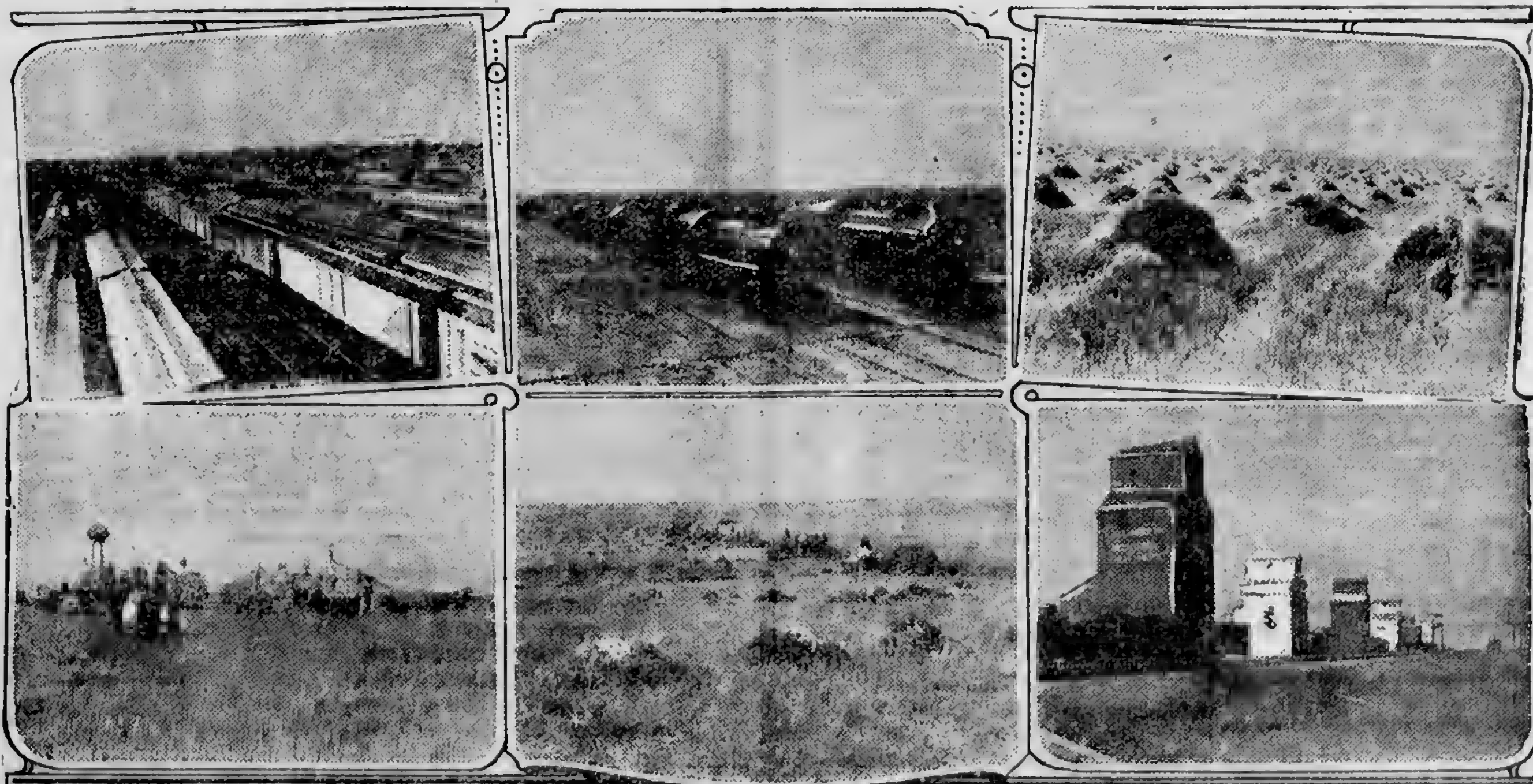
Six grams of radium, valued at \$303,000, have just arrived in Stockholm from Belgium. They were purchased with a part of the Millou Dollar Jubilee Fund, which was collected by Swedes at home and abroad as a gift to King Gustaf, on his 70th birthday.

"Did you notice that man with his hat down over his nose?"
"Yes, it makes it easier for him to talk through both at once."



"Once a week I am going to play whist in the luncheon hour."
"There you go! I can see you dying a suicide's death at Monte Carlo."—Jugend, Munich.

MOVING WESTERN CANADA'S RECORD CROP



Busy scenes during the moving of Western Canada's record crop over the lines of the Canadian Pacific Railway. The Company smashed all existing grain hauling records this year in rushing the crop to world markets. The views show concentration of grain cars and locomotives and typical scenes in the wheat fields during the harvest.



Wife (singing): "I would that I were a little bird."

Husband: "Yes, then I would bring the cat in."—Humoristickie Listy, Prague.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The French Parliament has ratified France's signature to the Kellogg renunciation of war pact by a vote of 570 to 12.

There were 2,300,000 unemployed in Germany on February 15, an increase of 50,000 since the end of January, official figures show.

The year 1928 was a disastrous one for Canadian half insurance companies, the loss ratio being 100.39 per cent. of the premiums, according to official figures released at Ottawa.

Announcement is made by the Canadian Bank of Commerce that arrangements have been made to open a branch at Fort Churchill, Man., the eventual terminus of the Hudson Bay Railway.

France notified the League of Nations that she is in favor of a British proposal for an opium inquiry in the far east by a committee of experts. She will contribute \$8,000 to the expenses of this inquiry.

The question of the provision of a submarine telephone cable between England and the United States, Canada, and Newfoundland, is likely to be a matter of early consideration by the British postal authorities.

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Examination Of Mine Prospectuses Likely

British Columbia Will Legislate To Protect Investors

Legislation designed to protect investors in British Columbia mines is being introduced in the Provincial Legislature by the Government. It will force all new mining companies to file copies of their prospectuses with the mines department as soon as they are issued so that the department may act immediately against any misleading statements about mineral properties.

The new law is designed to speed up the issuance of official statements and so prevent "wild cat" promotions from obtaining the public's money before they can be quashed.

Winnipeg Newspaper Union

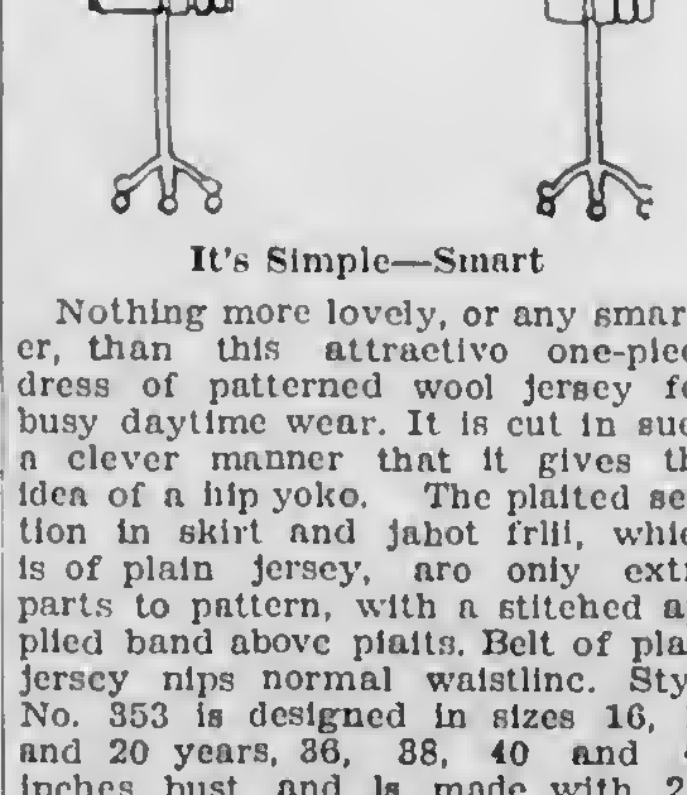


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World's Poultry Congress

Canada To Be Well Represented At Big Event In London In 1930

Canadian poultry breeders will exhibit in the neighborhood of 1,000 birds at the World's Poultry Congress to be held at the Crystal Palace, London, in July, 1930, according to F. C. Elford, Dominion Poultry Husbandman and president of the World's Poultry Science Association. Canada will also enter an educational exhibit. Hon. Dr. W. R. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture, has named an executive committee, composed of the various Provincial Ministers of Agriculture, with H. B. Donovan, internationally-known poultryman, as chairman. There will also be various sub-committees with their respective chairmen.

ABOUT YOUR NERVES

Headaches and Other Troubles Follow When the Nerves Give Way

Nerves are delicate fibres running from the brain to all parts of the body. Some of them give us the sense of touch and feeling; others convey the will to our muscles and enable us to move. When we have an "attack of nerves" it means that the body is in some way out of order and the nerves have become over-sensitive so that we get neuralgia, nervous headache, sciatica, or some other nerve trouble. Sometimes the nerves get too weak to do the will of the brain, and we get trembling hands or limbs, or perhaps St. Vitus dance. The whole nervous system is fed and kept healthy by your blood. If that is thin and poor nervous weakness follows. In that case a tonic is needed to build up the blood, so that it may in turn feed the nerves, spine and brain. The very best medicine for enriching the blood is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. You cannot take them without feeling the uplift they give. Your appetite improves, your brain is clearer, you feel full of new life. One sufferer, Miss Margaret R. MacDonald, Catalone Road, N.S., tells what this medicine did for her. She says:—"I suffered for a long time from severe headache and nervous exhaustion. I tried several kinds of medicine but got no relief until I used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and these, before long, gave me complete relief. From my own experience I feel that I cannot praise Dr. Williams' Pink Pills too highly, and would advise anyone who is suffering from headache or nervous exhaustion, to give them a fair trial, as I feel sure the results cannot be anything but satisfactory."

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One of the world's largest dams has been constructed on the Indus river, in India, for irrigation purposes.

Internal parasites in the shape of worms in the stomach and bowels of children sap their vitality and retard physical development. They keep the child in a constant state of unrest and, if not attended to, endanger life. The child can be spared much suffering and the mother much anxiety by using a reliable worm remedy, such as Miller's Worm Powders, which are sure death to worms.

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At Broussa a Turkish captain has been sentenced to a year's hard labor for opposing the new alphabet introduced by Mustafa Kemal.

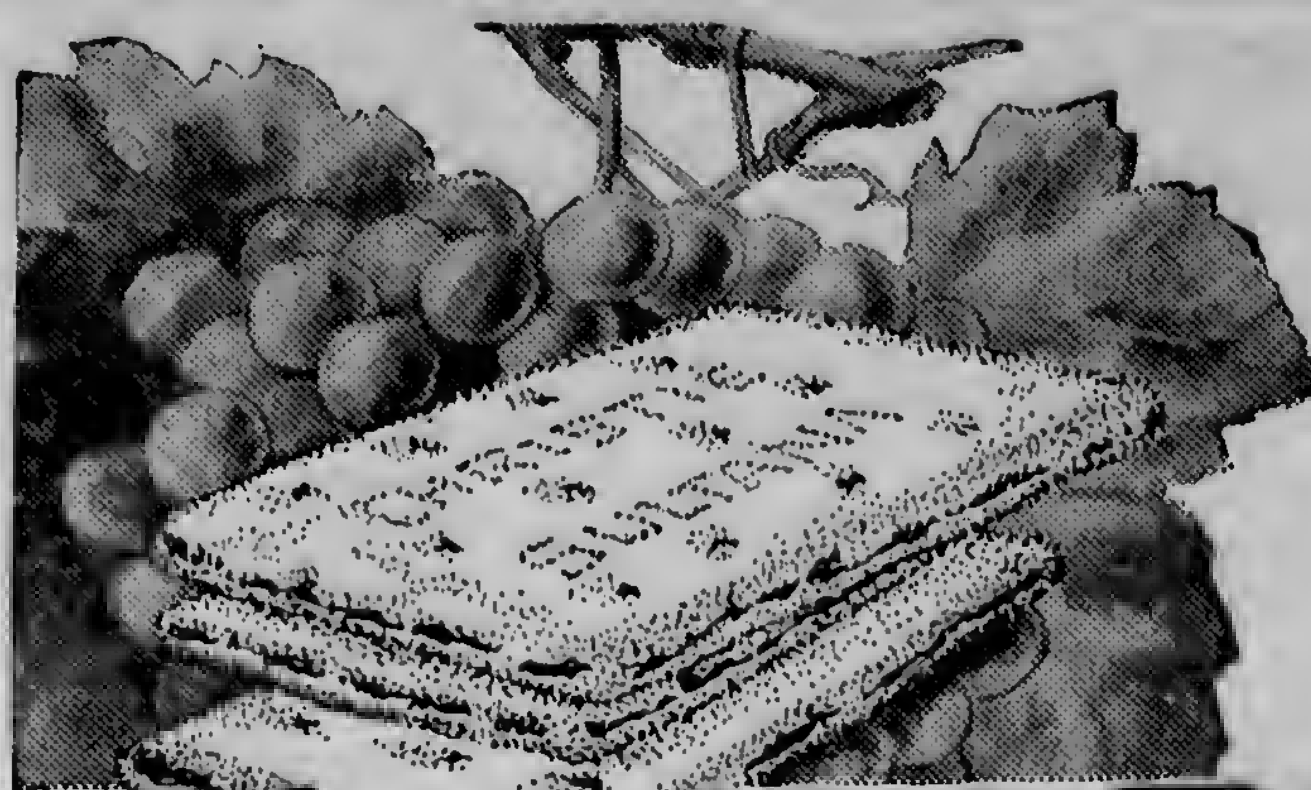
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THE CHRISTIAN SABBATH

Golden Text: "For the Son of man is Lord even of the sabbath."—Matthew 12:8.

Lesson: Genesis 2:2-3; Exodus 20:8-11; Matthew 12:1-14; 28:1-10; John 20:19; Acts 20:7; Romans 14:4-6; Revelation 1:10.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 92:1-5, 12, 13.

Explanations and Comments

Reverence the Sabbath, Exodus 20:8-11.—Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy: The root meaning of the word rendered "hallowed" in verse 11, is "to separate"; the Sabbath day is to be separated from other days by the way it is spent. Six days shalt thou labor, and do all thy work.

There are many persons whose difficulty in keeping this fourth commandment lies right there—they are too lazy to work the six days. The commandment lays stress upon working as well as upon rest. "Every man is as lazy as he dares to be," is an oft repeated saying which is not without some measure of truth. "Life without industry is sin," declares Ruskin. The tragedy of many a life is that time is not felt to be a trust for whose use he must render account. "Tis the measure of a man—his apprehension of a day."

"You keep the sabbath in imitation of God's rest. Do, by all manner of means, and keep also the rest of the week in imitation of God's work."

—Ruskin.

The seventh day is a sabbath unto Jehovah thy God; in it thou shalt not do any work. The seventh day is to be distinguished from other days by the cessation of labor. "The sabbath was made for man," Jesus declared. The needs of body, mind and spirit require one day of rest in seven. The reason given here in Exodus for the distinction to be made between the first six days and the seventh is that God, Himself, labored at creation and rested the seventh day, wherefore God hallowed it, separated it from the other days for special holy uses.

"The setting apart of one day in seven for rest and worship was due, primarily, to the fact that the human machine will run six days with ease and regularly if it can rest on the seventh day, but it will creak and break if it is pushed on through every day alike. The duty of rest is quite as imperative as the necessity of work. The individual or the nation that disregards this law pays the penalty."—Amory H. Bradford.

Noted Explorer Dies

Surgeon Captain Edward Atkinson, commander of the Antarctic expedition that found Captain Scott and his companions and brought back the records in 1912, is dead at the age of 46 years. He served with the Grand Fleet in the war at Gallipoli and with the Howitzer Division in France, earning the D.S.O. and mention in despatches.

New Form Of Identification

Teeth prints have been added to finger prints and foot prints as means of identifying criminals. When inquiring into a burglary at a priest's house at Odense, Denmark, the police found teeth marks in a sweet in the form of a marzipan pig. A suspect's teeth were examined and found to tally with the marks on the candy.

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Consider Possibility Of Prince Of Wales Becoming Prince Regent

London, England.—The question of introducing a bill to make the Prince of Wales regent, to act for his father, is being considered, according to information gathered in parliamentary and political quarters.

The possibility of calling upon parliament to act on the matter was said to be under advisement of the law officers of the crown, the attorney-general and solicitor-general.

Although the King has been making satisfactory progress toward recovery from his long and serious illness, morning papers were led to speculate in what way Parliament could be dissolved before the general elections scheduled for May. His Majesty was not likely to have regained strength for such duties of state and the council of state, which has acted for him in lesser matters for some time, was expressly forbidden to dissolve Parliament in the proclamation which created it.

Other difficulties arise from the fact that two members of the present Conservative government, Premier Baldwin and Lord Hailsham, are among the counsellors.

It was said to be considered unwise to risk regarding the recovery of the King by calling for his personal consideration of matters which will necessarily arise in connection with the appointing of a new government after the elections. In every case, the formation of a new administrative body entails upon the sovereign a great number of interviews with statesmen with intricate discussion of suggested appointments.

These are naturally more numerous and prolonged in event of the existing government being defeated. If either the Laborites or Liberals should win, Ramsay MacDonald or David Lloyd George would have to consult the King constantly with reference to suggestions of new ministers with whom His Majesty would be less familiar than the present holders of government offices.

The duty which devolves upon the law officers is to consider the constitutional position in the event a decision is reached that the condition of the King necessitates his acting by deputy and how far precedents cover the situation.

It was suggested that a way might be found to empower the existing council of state to function in such a manner, but the general assumption was that the likeliest way out of the difficulty would be the creation of a Regency, with the heir to the throne most probably, but Queen Mary possibly, as regent. The decision will not be forced immediately for the elections are not expected before the middle of May.

Smallpox In Bombay

London, England.—An epidemic of smallpox which has caused 247 deaths in 500 cases since the beginning of the year, has alarmed Bombay. Twenty vaccination stations have been established and 6,000 vaccinated since January.

Airplanes Assist In Exploration For Minerals In Canada's Northland

Winnipeg.—The exploration of hundreds of thousands of miles of Canada's northland in the search for minerals, both by aeroplane and by waterways, with interesting details of the vast country traversed and the hardships encountered, was vividly related by John E. Hammell, internationally-known mining man; George M. Douglas, mining engineer, of Lakefield, Ont., and L. L. Bolton, assistant deputy minister of mines, Ottawa.

These three men, eminent in the field of mineral development, addressed the afternoon session of the annual meeting of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy.

The great part being played in the exploration and development of mineral areas by the aeroplane was testified to by Mr. Hammell, who is a director of the Northern Aerial Mineral Exploration Company. Planes of his organization had covered one hundred thousand miles of flying from Ungava to the Yukon without a single air casualty, he said.

There are four outstanding advantages of aeroplane travel, which he outlined as follows: Safety; af-

May Discontinue Air Mail

Must Encourage More General Use Of Air Mail Service To Increase Revenue

Ottawa.—Air mail service between Montreal and Toronto has not proved successful and will be discontinued unless the revenue derived from it increases considerably in the next six months. Hon. P. J. Veniot, postmaster-general, told directors of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association at their annual dinner here. The postmaster-general made an appeal to the press of both the daily and weekly fields, to launch a campaign of publicity to encourage the more extensive use of air mail services by industrial and commercial classes.

Mr. Veniot pointed out that air mail services to Manitoulin Island and from Toronto to Winnipeg were under consideration and provision was being made in the Dominion estimates for extension to the air mail system. From 48 to 60 hours would be saved in the transmission of mail from the Atlantic coast to the west, by the establishment of air service from Toronto to Winnipeg, and from that point to the three prairie provinces.

Prince Given Power To Invest Knights

Will Conduct Two Ceremonies On Behalf Of King This Month

London, England.—The King by royal warrant has authorized the issue of letters patent empowering the Prince of Wales to confer the honor of knighthood at royal investiture ceremonies at St. James' Palace, March 26.

The Prince of Wales has been empowered to conduct two investiture ceremonies on behalf King George at St. James' Palace on March 26 and 27.

New Scholarships Offered

Acceptance To Be Considered By University Of B.C.

Vancouver.—A \$1,000 scholarship in economics, effective for three years, with a free study trip to the Orient, will be possible for students at the University of British Columbia, through an offer by H. R. MacMillan, Vancouver exporter. The offer will be considered by the board of governors of the University shortly. By means of the scholarship Mr. MacMillan hopes to promote the study of Oriental trade and business conditions on the Pacific.

Celebrates Birthday

Toronto.—Toronto celebrated its 95th birthday March 6, having been incorporated as a city by act of the legislature, which received royal assent March 6, 1834. In 1834, Toronto had a population of 9,254.

Opposes Intervention

Premier Baldwin Against Direct Governmental Intervention In Mining Industry

London, England.—Direct governmental intervention in the mining industry would not be advantageous, Premier Baldwin told a deputation from the Miners' Federation, according to the joint report of the proceedings at the meeting recently issued. Mr. Baldwin expressed the opinion that amalgamations and other forms of re-organization in the industry were progressing satisfactorily.

The most urgent matter requiring attention, he said, was the transference of the surplus miners to other industries. He appealed for the co-operation of the Miners' Federation with the government schemes in this matter.

Seek Potash Deposits In British Columbia

Prospectors Being Encouraged By Smelter Company At Trail

Victoria.—The Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company which wants potash for its new fertilizer industry on which it is entering on a large scale at Trail, B.C., announced measures here for the encouragement of prospectors in the searching of potash deposits believed to exist in British Columbia.

The Consolidated will make a free analysis of samples for prospects and to aid in the identification of samples, deposits are being placed on display here and in Vancouver. A booklet on potash and its occurrence will also be sent from Trail to anyone desiring it.

May Enable Women To Keep Nationality

Bill Introduced In British House Regarding Marriage With Aliens

London, England.—A bill to enable a British woman marrying a foreigner to retain her nationality unless she declares her desire to assume the nationality of her husband was introduced in the House of Commons by Miss Ellen Wilkinson, Labor member for Middlesbrough East.

The bill is only retroactive with regard to British women who have married aliens and they would automatically become British citizens again unless they declare their wish to retain the nationality of their husbands.

Receives Medal From King

Red Cross Insignia Personally Conferred On One Of His Nurses

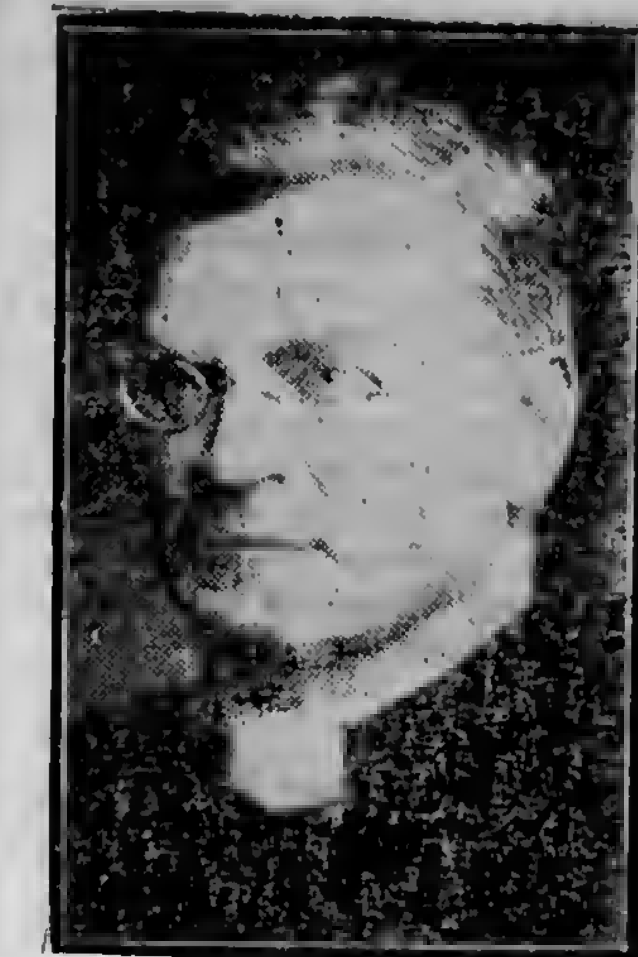
Bognor, England.—King George personally conferred the insignia of the Royal Red Cross, second class, on Nurse Davis, one of the five who attended him during his illness.

His Majesty had the medal of the order specially sent down from London, so he could present it as a token of his appreciation for the unremitting care and attention of Nurse Davis, who is leaving on her holiday.

Too Hot In India

London, England.—It is learned here that Lord Burnham, member of Sir John Simon's Royal Commission on Indian statutory reforms, has been overcome by heat and is returning to England from India where the commission has been sitting for some months.

RECEIVES CONGRATULATIONS



Dr. Donald MacGillivray, pioneer missionary in China, who is receiving congratulations on the fortieth anniversary of his entrance into the Chinese mission fields.

Hoover Is Starting Prohibition Drive

New President Plans To Clean Up National Capital

Toronto.—A special despatch to the Mail and Empire, from Washington, says:

"President Hoover will begin his prohibition enforcement drive in Washington. He will confer at an early date with the commissioners of the district of Columbia and urge them to clean up the national capital. Another step will be to appeal to all public officials to refrain from patronizing boot leggers and drinking. His drive here may result in stopping many hosts and hostesses from serving drinks at dinners attended by public men and women.

"During the Coolidge regime Washington entertainers gradually curtailed use of strong drink at parties, but Mr. Hoover will further discourage the custom."

Wins Dog Derby

St. Godard First To Cross Line In Northern Manitoba Classic

The Pas, Man.—In the most sensational finish ever witnessed in any dog derby, Emile St. Godard, youthful "musher" of international fame, finished in the renewal of The Pas dog derby association 200-mile non-stop derby.

St. Godard reached the finishing line on the Saskatchewan river at 11:09 p.m. His time for the 200-mile course to Flin Flon and return was 26 hours 59 minutes.

Earl Brydges, another local entrant, finished second, only three minutes behind the famous St. Godard, after fighting an uphill battle during the early hours of the night.

Bank Receives Charter

Ottawa.—Approval has been given by the banking and commerce committee of the House of Commons to the charter application of Barclay's Bank (Canada, Limited). The headquarters of the bank, which is capitalized at \$500,000, will be in Montreal. Sir R. L. Borden, former premier of Canada, will head the institution.

Did Not Finish Sentence

Belfast.—Eamonn de Valera, Irish Republican chief, was released from jail four days before finishing a 30-day sentence he had been serving for illegally entering Ulster territory.

Proposed Canadian Pacific Melfort Line Is Rejected By Commons

To Stimulate Industries

British Government Has Plan To Deal With Unemployment Problem

London, England.—As a part of its election program, it is understood the government has drawn up a provisional plan for stimulating British industries by substantial orders for materials from overseas. The scheme is a part of a general plan for dealing effectively with the unemployment problem. Railway developments in some of the tropical countries of the empire are mentioned in connection with the plan. It is believed the government is prepared to assist such developments by extending loans to finance any orders from such countries which will benefit the industries here which are hard hit. Manufactures and industries would result directly from the orders and those such as the coal industry would benefit indirectly.

Committee On Redistribution

Nine Members Of Alberta Legislature Are Appointed For Work

Edmonton.—After a debate lasting for nearly two days and ranging over the wide question of class government, the source, history, aims and future of the old-time political parties, and various other subjects rather far removed from the immediate question of redistribution, the resolution proposed by Premier J. E. Brownlee for the appointment of nine members of the legislature to a committee on redistribution was carried in the legislature.

The resolution drew support from the Labor members and the solid government vote, but was opposed by both Conservatives and Liberals.

Master Mariner Dies

Captain William Sanderson Came To Vancouver In The Eighties

Vancouver.—Death of Captain William Sanderson, pioneer Canadian Pacific Railway Company master mariner, has broken a link between the present and an earlier shipping era on the Pacific Coast. Captain Sanderson, for whom funeral services were held in Vancouver, was a native of Liverpool, and came to Vancouver in the 80's, a boatswain of the old "Empress of India" on the liner's maiden voyage. He remained in the employ of the Canadian Pacific here until his retirement some years ago.

Would Welcome Reduction

London, England.—Britain would welcome reduction in the air forces of the world, Sir Samuel Hoare, air minister, told the House of Commons. He added the provision that such reduction should not leave Britain and her empire in a weak position.

France Bans Trotsky

Paris.—It was learned here that the French cabinet, at a secret meeting, refused to grant an application from Leon Trotsky, for permission to reside in France.

Would Stop Importation Of Farm Products Into Canada From U. S.

Ottawa.—Parliament received a suggestion as to how Canada can meet increased United States tariffs against Canadian farm products.

The method, suggested by Hon. Hugh Guthrie, acting Conservative leader, would be in the first instance, to stop the importation of farm products into Canada.

Secondly, to supply those agricultural products which are now imported into the Dominion from Canadian farms.

Mr. Guthrie, in making this suggestion to the government, stated that the Dominion is now importing agricultural products from the world to an annual value of approximately \$60,000,000. To the United States, he said, Canada sells annually farm products valued at slightly over this sum. If the United States closes its doors on Canadian agricultural products, Canada could close hers on similar products from the world.

"To accomplish that," declared Mr. Guthrie, "all we need is a government with some courage; all we need is a government with some resolution; all we need is a govern-

ment that has the real interests of the people, of the farmers of Canada, at heart."

The acting Conservative leader submitted to the house that "there is something seriously wrong in regard to the trade of this country with the United States." The Dominion was now buying too much from the country to the south and selling too little. Canada found herself with an adverse trade balance, insofar as her transactions with the republic were concerned, amounting to \$333,000,000. Mr. Guthrie said he realized that the United States market was the most convenient for Canada, and in many respects the very best market, in which to sell Canadian farm products.

"But," he added, "if the tariff of that country is raised so high that we cannot enjoy that market, then we will have to shape ourselves to enjoy the Canadian market to the fullest extent and at the same time to seek other markets throughout the world. In order to do this, however, we shall need to have a fair application of the principle of protection in our customs tariff."



To Picture Score of Cultures

Eighteen racial groups will contribute to the Great-West Canadian folk-song folk-dance and handicrafts festival which is to be held in Regina, March 20-23. Serbians will dance the Kola; Charles Marchand will lead the Fyltoun Troubadours in French Canadian folk-songs; Poul Bal, Danish balladist will render Viking songs; Jean Gould and her pupils will represent Scotch and Welsh varieties. Who, looking at the picture above of Walter Yenbergh and Lina Guerts in the Dutch scene would think this move for the blending of national cultures other than worth while?

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News Notes

Mr and Mrs. S. C. Bowden returned
home last Tuesday. They have spent
the winter at Utah points.

Mrs. A. W. Kirkham left last Tues-
day for Salt Lake City to attend the
funeral of her sister.

Last Wednesday the Japanese peo-
ple of Raymond held a celebration of
"Old timers," all the Japanese that
have been in the district for 20 years
were invited. Mayor P. W. Cope was
a special guest.

Dick Wolf returned last Monday
from Vancouver where he has spent
the last few months.

We wish to remind everyone that
baptismal services will be held at
the High School Sunday March 23rd,
at 2:30 p. m. D. F. Fawns will be in
charge.

The value of Alberta sugar beet
crop in 1928 is placed at \$241,000.00
according to figures compiled by the
Department of Agriculture. Some
5,200 acres of beets were harvested
yielding an average of 7.22 tons per
acre which will bring the growers an
estimated return of \$7.75 per ton.
Officials of the Canadian Sugar Fac-
tories Limited report a steadily grow-
ing interest in this industry in the
southern part of the province and
predict that the acreage planted in
1929 will considerably exceed that of
last year.

Two important companies one of
which is the Canadian Industries Lim-
ited, representing the Maund Interests
of Great Britain, are showing consid-
erable interest in the salt deposits near
Fort McMurray, it was announced by
Premier Brownlee to the Legislature
during the past week. Interest of
this kind is regarded as a very good
indication of the increased attention
which will be paid to the develop-
ment of the mineral wealth of the nor-
thern part of the province.

Canada Among the Nations

(Continued from last week)

What wonder that five billions of
outside money are now invested in
Canada, while hundreds of millions
more pour in annually? What won-
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teen million acres open for homestead-
ing, while every province has free
land in proportion, what wonder I say
that western professor last spring
predicted that hundreds of millions
would one day call their home land
Canada? What wonder that Min-
ister of finance, J. A. Robb, after
stating that during the five year pe-
riod ending March 31 st. 1928 Canada
had reduced her debt at the rate of
eighty five thousand dollars a day,
earnly affirmed, "Canada need have
no forbodings about her future."

But just as a man politically free
and economically secure, yet longs
to do something, be something among
his fellows, so does a nation dream
of its mission socially. What is Can-
ada's shalag role?

Men and nations strive for pre-
stige and leadership, nations often through
war. The Germans of Flanders
know the dread of Canadian steel
gray eyes, the awe of Canada's war
cry; yet we desire not war, nor gains
derived from war. The glorious vic-
tories of peace he ours. Far and
favorably known for British justice
and reverence, we are becoming equal-
ly known for the virile youth of our
schools. As a member of the Leag-
ue of Nations we have played a
nations part and with honor and ef-
fectiveness. In that league ours has
been the only voice from North
America. By interpreting the Uni-
ted States to Britain and Britain to
the United States, we shall keep those
two la accord and so preserve civil-
ization. With the United States we
are showing a jarring world how
great ambitious nations side by side,
can live generations in friendship and
peace. By devotion to and co-opera-
tion with our Empire we shall show
the world how nations can work
together, shall help Britannia fulfill
her high mission, and finally in the
fulness of time shall stand forth the
Great Princess Canada, to the throne
Empress Britain fills so well, helress,
emperor.

Such is Canada among the nations,
such is the peerless birthright offered
Canada's youth. But if we live not
lives of faith then shall we like Esau
of old sell that birthright for a mess
of pottage.

Think of a Loyalist, think of Hab-
bad, no youth least finer forbears.

Capitol Entertainment



Tonight & Saturday

The River Pirate

A story that is different. One that will make your
blood tingle.

Monday next

Greta Garbo In

The Mysterious Lady

Wednesday and Thursday Next

Hoot Gibson In

Rodeo

Filmed at Soldier's Field, New York

Coming Soon

Two Lovers

With Ronald Coleman and Vilma Banky

SOON! SOON!

Our Talking Equipment will soon be installed. Watch
for opening Dates.

WHEAT POOL MEMBERS TO RECEIVE INTERIM PAYMENT

The sum of \$6,410,035.12 will short-
ly be distributed among members of
the Alberta Wheat Pool as an interim
payment of 12 cents per bushel on
their 1918 wheat crop of 55,000,000
bushels. Saskatchewan pool mem-
bers at the same time will receive
\$17,499,453.34 on 146,414,000 bushels
of wheat and 3,165,500 bushels of
flax and rye, while pool members in
Manitoba will be paid \$2,289,455.46
on deliveries of 18,408,000 bushels of
wheat and 703,760 bushels of flax and
rye.

Both beautiful and dumb
My own true love must be;
Beautiful, so I'll love her—
And dumb, so She'll love me.

Old lady—"Well, here's a dollar for
you, my poor man."
Tramp—"A dollar Lord bless yer
lady; if ever there was a fallen angel
it's you."

Mother—"Jessie, the next time you
hurt kitty, I am going to do the same
thing to. If you slap it, I'll slap you.
If you pull its ears, I'll pull yours.
If you pinch it, I'll pinch you.
Jessie (after a moment's thought)
—Mamma, I'll pull its tail."

Into depthless forest they plunged,
into limitless prairie wast, unknown
river they braved, and mountain wil-
derness. They blazed the trail, and
they broke the sod, they raised the
bridge, they laid the rail. "Going forth
in faith to possess and subdue the
earth, the cabin they built in the clear-
ing, the schoolhouse they planted on
the hill, and the church—the dear, in-
spiring little church, they placed in
the sheltered vale. Far as they foug-
ht the good fight, they kept the
flag, the Empire Dream, and the
faith. And they did it nobly and well.
Then shall our cherished Canada to
the full measure of her creation, grow
great, and good, and wise—a guiding
star among the nations.

MAINTAIN

THE QUALITY OF
ALBERTA'S CROPS

BETTER SEED

means

Better Yields - Better Grades - Better Prices

A special committee appointed by the Minister of Agricul-
ture, with the co-operation of numerous organizations in the
province, is urging the use this spring, by farmers throughout
the province of

High Quality, Clean, Treated Seed Grain

In order to reduce the heavy annual losses sustained by sowing
inferior seed.

Farmers can co-operate by:

1. Using registered seed wherever available.
2. Using at least high quality commercial seed.
3. Having seed tested for germination and purity.
4. Treating seed for smut.
5. Thoroughly cleaning all grain intended for seed.
6. Seeding only varieties of recognized quality and varie-
ties suitable to the district.

Good seed will be in demand this spring. Secure your re-
quirements early—before the supply is exhausted.

U.F.A. Locals, Boards of Trade, the Wheat Pool, Banks,
Commercial Grain Firms, the press, and many other organiza-
tions are working in co-operation with a—

BETTER SEED COMMITTEE

consisting of representatives of the Provincial Department of
Agriculture, the Dominion Seed Branch, the Canadian Seed
Growers' Association, the Alberta Seed Growers' Association,
the C.P.A. Agricultural Department, and the University of
Alberta.

D. A. McCannel,

Provincial Publicity Commissioner, Secretary.



When Pain Comes

What many people call indigestion very often means excess acid in the stomach. The stomach nerves have been over-stimulated, and food sours. The corrective is an alkali, which neutralizes acids instantly. And the best alkali known to medical science is Phillips' Milk of Magnesia. It has remained the standard with physicians in the 50 years since its invention. One spoonful of this harmless,

tasteless alkali in water will neutralize instantly many times as much acid, and the symptoms disappear at once. You will never use crude methods when once you learn the efficiency of this. Go get a small bottle to try. Be sure to get the genuine Phillips' Milk of Magnesia prescribed by physicians for 50 years in correcting excess acids. Each bottle contains full directions—any drugstore.

THE CRIMSON WEST

—BY—
ALEX. PHILIP

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Toronto, Ont.

CHAPTER XVI.—Continued.

Wild berries, dead ripe, hung on lush drooping branches.

A soft "prut-prut-kwit-kwit" came from the leader of a covey of willow grouse that were feeding on the tiny fruit of a crab-apple tree. The call was answered by a shy note from one of the young birds, who probably was being taught the scale.

The summer had been one of exceptional dryness. For weeks there had been no rain, and a blazing hot sun had poured its fiery rays from a cloudless sky. The heavy mountain dews could not penetrate the close standing timber, and the carpet of needles and moss became dry as tinder. A pall of smoke, from fires raging on the Coast, hung over lake and mountain.

For Wilkinson and his men these were anxious days. They covered the section between the mill and Squamish twice a day, scanning the hillsides and valleys, ever watchful, ever on the alert; pleading and exhorting the settlers and loggers to greater vigilance, and all the while praying fervently for rain.

Donald had posted a notice that any employee found smoking in the woods would be immediately dismissed. Logging creates a vast amount of debris, or "slash," as it is known to the men of the woods. With the assistance of the Forestry men, Donald's crew had piled enormous heaps of slash on the hillside, awaiting a favourable opportunity to burn. These menacing piles of brush, extending along the main road for a quarter of a mile, were a constant source of danger. Every precaution, therefore, was taken. The spaces between the mounds of brush were raked clean, the road was patrolled day and night, and paths filled with water were placed at regular intervals. Special notices stating the great danger of fire, and warning not to smoke in this area, were posted conspicuously on tree and stump.

The mill at Chenkamus had closed. Sparks from the donkey engines had threatened the extinction of both plant and timber.

Donald with Wilkinson stood surveying the piles of dangerous waste. "If a fire starts and we can get to it at once, we will be all O.K.," said Wilkinson, "but if it ever gets away from us here," pointing down the road, "no human agency can stop it."

They made the rounds of the patrol to satisfy themselves that the watchmen were attending to their duties. Leaving the main road, they scrambled through the tangled masses of tree-tops to ascertain how far distant the slash had been removed from the standing timber. Suddenly a tiny wisp of smoke was seen to

drift from behind a fir tree at the edge of the clearing. Without comment, both men broke into a run.

"Aroused by the crashing footsteps, a young man, who had been lying stretched lazily on the soft moss, came quickly to his feet, a cigarette held in his fingers. His companion, also smoking, lay with his back against the hole of a tree a few feet distant. Fishing rods, creels, landing-nets and the remains of a lunch lay scattered on the ground.

"Don't you know better than to smoke here?" blazed Wilkinson.

The fisherman brazenly replaced the cigarette between his lips. Wilkinson's arm shot forward like a flash to pluck the offending weed from the mouth of the astonished youth. "I wish we had a law to prevent smoking in the woods. I would take great pleasure in arresting you," he growled savagely as he pinched the fire from the cigarette and ground it under his heel.

Unnoticed by the Forest Ranger, the second man removed his cigarette furtively and with a flint of his hand threw it behind him as he rose to his feet.

"You are too damned officious! You have no authority to prevent us smoking," he said angrily, as with clenched fists he advanced belligerently.

Wilkinson was near the breaking point. The weeks of worry, the long hours of arduous toil, and the lack of sleep had frayed his nerves. "Damn you!" he flared, "if it's a fight you want—!" He broke off suddenly, his eyes wide and staring. "My God! look!" he shouted. A flare of flame shot from the spot where the cigarette had fallen. A breeze rustled through the trees to fan the flame to a drumming roar as a pile of slash caught fire. The Red Terror was loosed.

"The alarm!" cried Wilkinson. "Fire!" shouted Donald as he stumbled to the road.

"Fire!" repeated the nearest patrolman.

"Fire!" rang the cry down the line until the call reached the mill, and every whistle was loosed in a screaming bedlam of sound to blanch the cheeks of these hardy men, who knew the awful terror of this devastating, devouring, fiery scourge that blasts the wilderness with smoke and ashes and takes its toll of both man and beast. Men dropped their tools and ran to answer the call.

The trapper's dugout shot swiftly across the lake.

Connie lay reading in the shade of her cabin. She came to her feet at the whistle's first call for help. A moment later, seated astride her cayuse, she was galloping down the hill. Every man, regardless of position, answers the call to fight fire. When a forest fire is raging the forest ranger is an absolute sovereign. He can call the lawyer from his desk or the labourer from the ditch, but seldom does he need to exercise this power, as every good citizen is willing to help stay the deadly scourge. Meanwhile the fire was leaping from heap to heap of the powder-like slash to cross the road and sweep up

the hill with incredible speed. With a throbbing roar it blazed to the tree-tops and rushed up the mountain. Stifling smoke enveloped the fire-fighters. Showers of burning bark pelted them from above.

"To the mill!" Wilkinson shouted; "we can do nothing here."

The men at the mill filed silently to their stations, and the big hoses poured torrents of water on roof and wall. Big jets curved up, the hill to drench the dry, hot earth.

In short, quick sentences Wilkinson outlined his plans.

"We will try to stop it on the north at the river, on the south with fire-breaks, and at the track on the east by back-firing. On the west we have to let the fire take its course until it burns itself out on the cliff above." His voice rose in sharp command as he sent the men to their posts. Donald with twenty men under him was set to work digging a fire-break on the south side. A "fire-break" is made by spading up the leaf-mould and humus down to the mineral soil and raking all inflammable material back from each edge.

The fire was advancing rapidly and the heat was terrific. Choking and gasping in the stinging resinous smoke, the men strove in frenzy of haste to complete the fire-break before the flames should reach them.

A deer with a fawn at her heels came bounding in terror through the screen of smoke. Grouse and song-birds made a common escape from a common enemy feared by all. Rabbits, wild-eyed, scuttled in fear; squirrels and chipmunks joined in the hurried flight. Many of these smaller birds and animals would be flanked and lost.

Connie, proud that she could be of assistance, dashed back and forth carrying messages for Wilkinson to the different fronts.

(To Be Continued.)

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

ECONOMY PUDDING SAUCE

- 1 tablespoon cornstarch.
- Few gratings lemon rind.
- ½ cup sugar.
- 1 cup boiling water.
- 2 tablespoons butter.
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice.
- Few gratings nutmeg.
- Few grains salt.

Mix cornstarch, lemon rind and sugar; add water, gradually, stirring constantly, and boil five minutes. Remove from fire; add lemon juice, butter and seasonings.

BOW-MAN'S BAKED HAM

- 1 thick slice of ham.
- 2 apples.
- ½ cup neektars raisins.
- ¼ cup brown sugar.
- ¼ cup water.

Place ham in baking dish, cover with raisins, then with apples, cut in slices. Sprinkle sugar on top, add water, cover and bake in moderate oven 45 minutes or until ham is tender.

Corns are painful growths. Holloway's Corn Remover will remove them.

Making Movies Educative

Bulgarian Ministry Of Education Supports Well Equipped Picture Department

Bulgarian Minister of Public Instruction, has presented a new bill to Parliament providing for the encouragement for all moving picture houses. The Ministry of Education has a moving picture department, supplied with automobiles, films and other necessary equipment, as well as lecturers. Picture units work among the remotest towns and villages, giving shows in the open village squares. But they are altogether insufficient, and the Government wants to expand the movement.

A good seat in a good movie theatre in Sofia costs 10 cents. In the school movie shows a child may get a good seat for two cents and an adult for three. School children are not permitted to go to any movie at night.

Canada Leading Customer

Exports of Ayrshires from Great Britain last year totalled 176. Canada was, as formerly, the leading customer, taking in all 93 head. Exports to other countries were: Kenya Colony, 31; South America, 14; Denmark, 13; South Africa, 12; United States, 11, and Ceylon, 3.

Aluminum street cars, lighter and quieter than the heavy steel cars now in general use, are being tried in several cities in the United States.

Black peppermint was first grown commercially about 65 years ago and has now almost entirely superseded the white.

SUN LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA

A TOWER OF STRENGTH

1928

| | |
|---|-------------------|
| Assurances in force (net) | - \$1,896,915,000 |
| An Increase of \$408,925,000 | |
| New Assurances Paid for | - 441,244,000 |
| An Increase of \$112,836,000 | |
| Total Income | - 144,747,000 |
| An Increase of \$41,972,000 | |
| Surplus earned during the Year | - 40,264,000 |
| Payments to Policyholders and Beneficiaries | - 49,920,000 |
| Surplus and Contingency Reserve | - 66,938,000 |
| An Increase of \$9,157,000 | |
| Total Liabilities (Including Paid up Capital) | - 422,020,000 |
| Assets, at December 31st, 1928 | - 488,958,000 |
| An Increase of \$87,652,000 | |
| Rate of Interest earned on mean invested assets (net) | 6.58% |

DIVIDENDS TO POLICYHOLDERS INCREASED FOR NINTH SUCCESSIVE YEAR

The Company has also inaugurated the practice of paying a special maturity dividend on participating policies, ten or more years in force, terminating by death or maturity.



EXTRACTS FROM DIRECTORS' REPORT

... After deducting amounts re-assured, the total assurances in force now amount to \$1,896,915,934.57, an increase of \$408,925,254.48. Policies in force number 633,240, and in addition 136,293 certificates of assurance are held by employees of corporations and firms under the group plan.

While every field of operation contributed its full share to these impressive advances, the rapid development of our business in Great Britain and the United States is especially noteworthy. The generous reception of our Company in countries served by powerful domestic institutions is particularly gratifying, as testifying to widespread appreciation of our record and services.

... The amount paid to policyholders since organization, together with the amount at present held for their security or benefit, exceeds the total amount received from them in premiums by \$111,370,229.10.

The strength and resources of the Company have been still further enhanced.

The net rate of interest earned on the mean invested assets, after making provision for investment expenses, has risen to 6.58 per cent. Dividend increases, bonuses and stock privileges, accruing on many of the Company's holdings, contributed substantially to this gratifying result.

A net profit of \$11,028,854.59 has been realized from the redemption or sale of securities which had risen to high premiums.

The securities listed in the assets have been valued at figures substantially below the value placed on them by the Government. This under-valuation of our securities represents an important safeguard against possible adverse market fluctuations, additional to the reserves specifically provided against that contingency.

We are again able to report that on the bonds and preferred stocks listed in the assets, not one dollar,

due either as interest or as dividend, is in arrear for a single day; while the dividends accruing to common stocks exceed by several million dollars those payable on the same stocks at the time of purchase.

The surplus earned during the year, based on the values given in the accounts, amounted to \$40,264,088.52.

\$10,000,000. has been deducted from the already heavily marked-down value of securities, as additional provision against possible fluctuations, increasing the amount so set aside to \$20,000,000.

The special amount set aside as a liability to provide for unforeseen contingencies has been maintained at \$12,500,000.

\$15,822,339.65 has been paid or allotted as profits to policyholders during the year.

After making all deductions and allocations, \$9,157,966.34 has been added to the undivided surplus, bringing the total over liabilities, contingency accounts, and capital stock, to \$54,438,862.48.

The continued prosperity of the Company enables your Directors to announce, for the ninth successive year, a substantial increase in the scale of profits to be distributed to participating policyholders during the ensuing year.

In addition, your Directors have inaugurated the principle of granting a Special Dividend on participating policies maturing after having been in force ten years or longer. This new bonus will enable policyholders or beneficiaries whose withdrawal is occasioned by the maturity of policy contracts, to participate in the accumulated surplus which it has not as yet been considered prudent to divide.

The effort to provide life assurance at the lowest net cost obtainable has been increasingly appreciated. Our policyholders will be gratified by this further evidence of our desire that the Company's prosperity shall be fully shared by its members.

SUN LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA

Three Hazardous Jobs

Railroad Worker, Steel Worker, and Miner Are Great Chances

The three most hazardous jobs in America are those of the steel worker, the railroad yard worker, and the miner, reports the Bureau of Labor Statistics. Other hazardous occupations are glass blowing, slaughtering, and meat packing, and work in lumber planing mills.

During the last year the number of accidents were reduced in almost every industry. However, one worker in 10 suffered injury, losing an average time of 71 days. For every fatal accident there were 155 minor ones. The total time lost during the year due to accidents was more than 19,265 years.

Mrs. Sam Speers Tells How Cuticura Healed Her Baby

"When baby was three days old he started to break out with eczema. It began with very small pimples which later festered and broke and then scaled over. When he was twelve days old he was almost entirely covered with eruptions. The affected parts seemed to itch and burn so that I had to keep mittens on his hands to prevent him scratching his face.

"My mother advised me to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment. He seemed to get relief after the first treatment, and in two months he was completely healed." (Signed) Mrs. Sam Speers, Inisfree, Alberta.

Cuticura Soap, a world-famous aid to beauty, cleanses and purifies the skin and hair, restoring them to their natural, fresh and wholesome beauty. Its daily use maintains them in a delightfully healthy condition.

Soap 25c, Ointment 25c and 50c. Telcom Co. Sold everywhere. Sample each free. Address: Canadian Dept., 210 West Campbell St., Montreal. Cuticura Shaving Stick 25c.

Little Helps For This Week

"Truth shall be they shiled and buckler."—Psalm xci. 4.

Get but the truth once uttered, and it is like A star new-horn that drops into its place, And which, once circling in its placid round, Not all the tumult of the earth can shake.

—James Russell Lowell.

Delight no less in truth than life.

—Shakespeare.

Goldsmith: For my part, I'd tell the truth and shame the devil. Johnson: Yes, sir; but the devil will be angry. I wish to shame the devil as much as you do, but I should choose to be out of the reach of his claws.

Goldsmith: His claws can do you no harm when you have the shield of truth.—Boswell's Life of Johnson.

Roads In Canada

A total of 6,020 miles of road was constructed during 1927, and 44,410 miles were maintained under provincial patrol or gang maintenance systems.

There is coal in almost all of the islands of the north and much of that area is favorable to mineralization, in the opinion of George F. Mackenzie, former gold commissioner in the Yukon.

Hurricanes which blow at a rate of 80 miles per hour exert a pressure of 32 pounds per square foot.

Success is not made by lying awake at night, but by keeping awake in the daytime.

Minard's Liniment for Coughs and Colds.

To Boost Edmonton

New Industrial Association Has Been Organized To Encourage Industries

A new association has been formed in Edmonton under the name of the Edmonton Industrial Association; of which J. B. Starky, of the Pean Mine is president, and W. R. Howson, local barrister, vice-president. The association gave a get-together dinner recently, which was attended by 150 business men. The object of the organization is to patrolize Edmonton-made goods and to encourage industries in this city.



INTESTINAL flu, high blood pressure, nervous disorders—how careful one must be to avoid these dangerous ailments at this time of the year.

Keep the system clear of poisons and impurities. Tone up the liver, prevent bile stagnation and intestinal lethargy. Let Marlatt's help you as it helps thousands every year to ward off illness and disease.

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FLU Germs Breed In the Throat.

First: Appear As A Common Cold, But Gain Tremendous Headway In Six Hours

SOME SIMPLE PRECAUTIONS AGAINST INFLUENZA

Simple precautions taken now will enable you to fight dreaded "Flu" which is sweeping rapidly through the whole country. The germs of Influenza gain access to the body through the mouth and throat. Keep the throat healthy and you go a long way towards stopping the trouble. An effective means of prevention is to gargle the throat three or four times daily with Nerviline. Half a teaspoonful of Nerviline in water makes a most efficient gargle. The germ-killing properties of Nerviline quickly destroy any bacteria in the mouth or throat. If the chest is sore, if the throat is hoarse, if you have a cough—be sure to rub the neck and chest with Nerviline. Every drop of it will rub in, and out will come the congestion.

Of course it is absolutely necessary to house-clean the system with Dr. Hamilton's Pills which stimulate the eliminating organs, and rid the system of disease-breeding germs. This combination treatment of Nerviline and Dr. Hamilton's Pills will give prompt and entirely satisfactory results.



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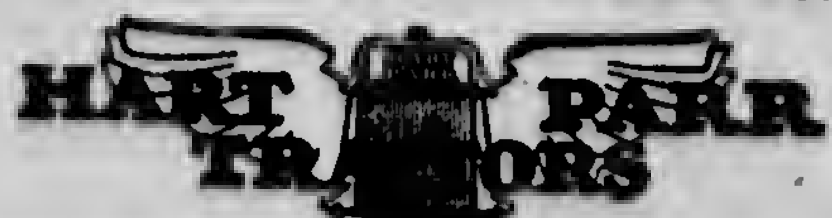
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RAYMOND PHONE 52

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At The S. of A.

Citizens day at the School of Agriculture takes place on Friday the 15th. Preparations are being made for not only a large display but also for a large crowd. Everybody is welcome.

On Friday March 8th, the school basketball team journeyed to Cardston to play the second last game of their series. The final score was 20-32 in favor of the home team. However our boys still wear the smile that never comes off and are yet ready to take on all comers.

We are indeed pleased to note that Mr. McDonald is again with us to continue his work in dairying.

Mr. Longman left on Tuesday for Vauxhall where he is going to lecture. He expects to be back in time for the display on Friday.

Karl Wilder who has been sick for some few days is now recovered but does not expect to back in active service for some time, the staff and students join in wishing for him a speedy complete recovery.

The Assembly hall is now being elaborately and appropriately decorated for the St. Patrick day dance on Friday evening. It is hoped that all guests who are not Irish will be as Irish as they can. Clay pipes, Shamrock, and harps should be much in evidence at this gay affair.

One of the closest and hardest fought basket ball games of the season was played at Magrath on February 11th, when the R. S. A. met the Magrath Intermediates. Our boys got away to a good start and with Meeks and Eaves scoring left the first half with a score of 27-16. During the second period Magrath brightened up with the result that the score at the end of the last period was a tie 37-37. In the overtime period Magrath obtained the lead and the game ended with the final score 45-39 in favor of Magrath. This is the last game of the series for the R. S. A. boys.

Exams are now in view on the distant horizon. The examination timetable is posted. The inevitable result, much midnight oil will be consumed.

FARM WANTED

Want to hear from owner having good Alberta farm for sale. If bargain, send price and description. F. E. G., Box 48, Olney, Ill.

FOR SALE 160 acres good land, all irrigated. One mile from Sugar Factory. Apply Box 145.

FOR SALE—Pure Bred Chester White boar hogs and gilts. Apply J. E. Maudsley.

NOTICE—I have 40 acres of stubble land with full water right which I will let any reliable person crop with beets this year, and have all the crop with the exception of the tops. Apply—Oliver McLean. M 23.

FOR SALE—10 acres of irrigated land one mile west of Stake House, just across the street from town limits. For particulars see—W. W. Redback.

FOR SALE—200 bushels of Garnett Wheat. Price \$1.50 per bushel. Apply Henry Iwaasa, Raymond.

FOR SALE—5 bottom disc plow, International, can be seen at the Mackay Harris building. Practically new. Butt of second crop No. 1 alfalfa hay. Apply—Scott Salmon. M 15.

FOR SALE—Easy electric washer, Brick lined heater, and Baby carriage. Apply—Mr. A. V. Palmer. M 15.

RAYMOND JUNIOR PROM

Once more the time has arrived for that gayest of all winter dance events the Junior Prom, and tomorrow night the old gym will be all "dolled up" like a million dollars and everybody will be set for the best time of the year. King's Kanadians will furnish the frolicsome strains of gladness and the committee in charge state that the evening is a guaranteed attraction.

Last Tuesday March 12th, the First ward Gleaner girls entertained the Junior girls after Mutual. Real home-made pineapple ice-cream was served in the cones, all-day suckers, and gum. About forty members were present.

The week before the Gleaner girls entertained the "M" men to a similar repast and included a one act comedy.

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Mr. Cohen—"Say Mr. Banker, look up a month ago. How did I stand then? I'll hold the phone."

Banker (returning to the phone)—"You had a balance of \$400.00."

Mr. Cohen—"Well, did I call you up?"

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